

However, Education is a State subject. The concerned State Government needs to formulate policy for restructuring teacher education programmes and management of all medium schools.

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. The Central Institute of Indian Languages (CIIL) Mysore has developed an Urdu Corpora based on which new language technology applications can be made. Teaching material has also been developed by CIIL for dissemination. As an aid to Urdu Language teaching, there is a proposal to create a internet-based Urdu Online teaching package which will help teachers in imparting education at different levels.

Private partnership in SSA

2754. SHRIMATI S.G. INDIRA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the children have benefited from private partnership under SSA;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether it is a fact that Government have asked the private entities to develop the software and give training to teachers; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALI ASHRAF FATMI): (a) to (d) Computer Aided Learning, a component of Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) is implemented in an effort to improve the quality of education. It includes provisions of computers in schools, with appropriate software and training to teachers. The public-private partnership has evolved around these requirements of the component.

Guidelines regarding three language formula

†2755. SHRI PYARELAL KHANDELWAL: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the States which have made 'three language formula' compulsory upto secondary classes;

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.